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ASOS CONFIGURATION CONTROL BOARD (ACCB)

ACCB Meeting Minutes of July 2, 2002

I. CONVENE - 9:30 A.M.

Meeting number 39 of the ASOS Configuration Control Board (ACCB) was held on Tuesday, July 2, 2002, in room 12246 of the Silver Spring Metro Center #2.

Members participating:  
OS12 - Lewis Kozlosky (Acting Chair)  
OST1 - Not Represented  
OPS22 - Dave Mannarano  
OS32 - John Bradley  
OS7 - Tim Ross  
AOP 100 - Not Represented  
ARS 200 - Paul Armbruster  
ARU 400 - Wayne Quist  
AUA 430 - Steve Imbembo  
AFWA - Jim Humphrey  
SPAWARSSYSCEN - Ed Heusinger  
OS12 - Rob Ericson (Acting Exec. Sec.)

Advisors and guests included: Al Wissman and Anthony Leonardo (W/OPS12), Joe DeVost (OPS13), Peggy Hoch (OPS23), William Fellows (W/OST11), Giles Strickler (AOP 400), and Bob Beatty and Jerry Kranz (AUA 430).

II. Review of Minutes

The May 21, 2002, minutes were approved as written.

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### **III. Review of Action Item Table**

1. S01187 Move Mt. Holly ACU (ERH675S)

Bob Beatty reported that there are still problems with the location and he is working on siting.

2. AA564 Development of Freezing Drizzle Algorithm (NWS680S)

Paul Armbruster is arranging a meeting with FAA Flight Standards to discuss the issue.

### **IV. Items Awaiting Software Load Inclusion**

Lewis Kozlosky summarized changes provided by Peggy Hoch. ACCB members discussed the issue of the location of ALDARS data on the ASOS display screen, and agreed not to change the ASOS approach to ALDARS reporting.

### **V. Items for Decision**

There were no items for decision.

### **VI. RCs Processed or In Process**

Lewis Kozlosky provided an RC status report of items adjudicated or received since the last meeting:

- o S01063 Delete RVRNO from METAR Observations (FAA106)  
**Pending Revision from FAA; Reminder 6/28/02**
- o S01142 All Weather Precipitation Gauge (AWPAG); Concept Exploration and Development Phases (NWS602S A) **In ACCB Review; Pending Vote; to go to APMC**
- o S01145 Enhanced Precipitation Identifier (EPI); Concept Exploration and Development Phases (NWS605S A) **In ACCB Review; FAA Vote Pending; Reminder 6/28/02**
- o S01146 Ceilometer Replacement (25K); Concept Exploration and Development Phases (NWS606S A) **Approved 5/30/02**
- o S01178 Move OID and Remove VDU at Elko, NV (FAA156)  
**Approved 5/30/02**

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- AA410     Move Merced, CA, Sensor Group (WRH280S) **On Hold; Pending Siting Resolution**
- AA447     Move San Luis Obispo, CA, Combined Sensor Group (WRH218S) **In Coordination; On Hold; Pending MOA Revision by FAA**
- AA529     Add UPSs to ACUs and DCPs at Five Sites (WRH265S) **Approved 6/5/02**
- AA558     Software Version 2.78 Development on Current Processor (NWS678S A) **In Coordination; Revision Pending; Final to go to APMC; Pending Addition of Software Table Data**
- AA559     Software Version 2.79 Development on New Processor (NWS679S) **Pending Revision**
- AA583     Move ASOS Sensor Array at Elko, NV (WRH284S) **In Coordination; On Hold; Pending MOA Revision by FAA**
- AA611     Connect SAIDS/IDS to ASOS at Eugene, OR (FAA185) **Approved 5/24/02**
- AA612     Move ACU at Whitefield, NH (ERH707S) **On Hold; Pending Local Agreement by ERH**
- AA613     Pressure Sensor Report Processing Yes/No Prompt (NWS681S) **Revision A in Coordination**
- AA618     Allow Generation of GTA Radio Tone at the Technician Password Level (WRH291S) **In Coordination**
- AA619     Add Daily Max Pressure to Daily Summary Page (WRH292S) **Withdrawn by WRH 6/28/02**
- AA713     NWS682S Modify Sky Condition Algorithm **Revision A in Coordination; Pending Votes**
- AA753     Move ACU at Rockport, TX (FAA193) **Approved 5/15/02**
- AA755     Move Combined Sensor Group (CSG) at Baker, MT (WRH275S) **In Coordination; Revision A in Progress**

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- o AA795 Move Secondary Sensor Group at Cleveland, OH (ERH711S) **In Coordination; Awaiting FAA Vote**
- o AA802 Move OID and Printer at Buffalo-Niagra, NY (FAA194) **Approved 6/17/02**
- o AA804 Move OID and Connect SAIDS-4 at Milwaukee, WI (FAA195) **Approved 5/28/02**
- o AA805 Move OID at Kalamazoo, MI (FAA196) **In Coordination**
- o AA806 Move Combined Sensor Group (CSG) at Houston George Bush International Airport, TX (SRH727S) **In Coordination**
- o AA807 Move ACU at Redding, CA (WRH290S) **In Coordination; To be Revised**
- o AA808 Move ACU at North Las Vegas, NV (WRH294S) **In Coordination**
- o AA822 Move ACU at McGrath, AK (ARH132S) **Approved 6/19/02**
- o AA824 Permit Automated ACU Upload of Software Version to AOMC Site File (NWS683S) **In Coordination**
- o AA833 Change of Operations at Caribou, ME (AA833) **Approved 6/25/02**
- o AA870 Connect ASOS to ADAS and ALDARS at Williston, ND (CRH762S) **In Coordination**
- o Ed Heusinger noted that the Navy will become more involved in the ASOS Program in order to realign their baseline configuration with that of the other agencies. They plan to eventually start submitting RCs to the ACCB.

## **VII. Items for Discussion**

- o Proposed ASOS Software Working Group management of the Software Load Table. The ACCB members asked that ASWG provide load-specific tables for inclusion on future ACCB agendas. Change Management will provide a list of pending software RCs.

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IX. Next Meeting

The next ACCB Meeting is scheduled for Tuesday,  
August 27, 2002, at 9:30 A.M. in Room 12246 of the SSMC2  
Building in Silver Spring, Maryland.

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**ASOS CONFIGURATION CONTROL BOARD ACTION ITEM/IMPLEMENTATION TABLE**

ITEMS WITHOUT APPROVAL DATES MAY BE ELIGIBLE FOR FINAL VOTE UPON COMPLETION OF ACTION ITEMS.

FOCAL POINTS ARE RESPONSIBLE FOR REPORTING ACTION ITEM STATUS.

CHANGE/DATE	FOCAL PT	REQUIRED ACTION	AI STATUS	DUE
S01187 MOVE MT. HOLLY ACU (ERH675S)	BEATTY	DETERMINE NEW LOCATION AND OBTAIN LICENSE	PENDING	8/02
S00585 URGENT SPECIAL OBSERVATION FOR VOLCANIC ERUPTION (NWS330S)	ROSS ARMBRUSTER	INVESTIGATE WHETHER RC SHOULD BE REVISED OR RESCINDED	PENDING	8/02
AA564 DEVELOPMENT OF FREEZING DRIZZLE ALGORITHM (NWS680S)	ARMBRUSTER	INVESTIGATE WHETHER INTENSITY NEEDS TO BE REPORTED WITH FREEZING DRIZZLE AND WHETHER SPECIS SHOULD BE ISSUED DUE TO INTENSITY CHANGES.	PENDING	8/02